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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Carlos Alberto GODOY
Serial No. : 10/662,688
Filed : September 12, 2003
For : DIFFERENTIATED RIGIDITY SWIMMING
FIN WITH HYDRODYNAMICALLY
DESIGNED REARWARD SHOE STRAP
CONNECTION
Group Art Unit : 3617
Examiner : Andrew D. Wright
Confirmation No. : 9781

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO
NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment And Response To Notice Of Non-Compliant Amendment, pursuant to the Notice Of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 27, 2005 and in accordance with the Office Action dated July 28, 2004. Reconsideration of this Application is respectfully requested.

The **Amendments To The Specification** begin on page 2.

The **Amendments To The Claims** begin on page 8.

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